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April 22, 1998

Mr. Tim Crawford
General Manager
Alaska Cleaners, Inc.
610 West Fireweed Lane
Anchorage, AK 99503

Re: Notification of final decision to approve Owner Requested Limit for
Alaska Cleaners Facility

Dear Mr. Crawford:

The Department received your application for an operating permit on December 5, 1997, which was determined to be complete on February 4, 1998. Subsequently, we received your application for an owner requested limit for the Alaska Cleaners facility on February 11, 1998 to supplant the operating permit application. Based on the supplied information and your notarized certification, and a finding that your request met the requirements of 18 AAC 50.225(b), the Department made a preliminary decision to approve your request for an owner requested limit. The Department conducted a 30 day public comment period from March 16 to April 17, 1998 to solicit comments and testimony on the proposed limit. One comment was recieved during that period.

Enclosed is the final approval of your Owner Requested Limit. After you have provided your notarized signature accepting the conditions on Page 1 of the ORL, return that page (only) for Department concurrence. The limit will take effect one day after we receive the letter with your notarized signature. We will then mail back the final Page 1.

Please note that there are 6 conditions of the approved limit. Condition 1 limits solvent consumption at the facility. Condition 2 requires meaurement of solvent consumption semi-annually. If solvent consumption exceeds 29,000 gallons in any 12 month period, measurement of solvent consumption is required monthly for the next 6 months. These conditions are imposed to assure that the potential emission of VOCs from the facility do not exceed 100 tons per year.

This is a final permit action for purposes of review under AS 46.14.200. A person who has a private, substantive, legally protected interest under state law that may be adversely affected by the permit action, the owner and operator, or a person who participated in the public comment process may request an adjudicatory hearing under 18 AAC 15.200-910. The request should be mailed to the Commissioner, Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation, 410 Willoughby Avenue, Suite 105, Juneau, Alaska 99801-1795, by certified mail, return receipt requested. A copy of the request shall also be sent to the undersigned. The right to administrative review will be waived if no request for an adjudicatory hearing is served within 30 days of the date of this letter. Any hearing granted will be limited to issues related to the issuance of this Owner Requested Limit approval. If an adjudicatory hearing is thereafter granted, all ORL conditions remain in full force and effect.

Should you have questions regarding this action or other related matters, please contact Alfred Bohn at (907) 269-7584.

Sincerely,

John Stone, P.E.
Chief, Air Quality Maintenance Section

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State of Alaska - Air Quality Maintenance Section
Owner Requested Limit

FACILITY IDENTIFICATION

No. ORL 000240

Owner/Operator: Alaska Cleaners, Inc.
Facility Name: Alaska Cleaners, Inc.
Facility Address: 610 West Fireweed Lane
City, State, Zip: Anchorage, Alaska 99503

Latitude/Longitude: 61° 10' 39" North, 149° 59' 38" West

Facility Contact: Mr. Tim R. Crawford
Phone Number: (907) 265-4801

The above named owner/operator has submitted a complete application for an owner requested limit under 18 AAC 50.225(b) for the Alaska Cleaners facility. The Department grants an owner-requested limit to restrict the potential to emit of the facility such that an operating permit is not needed due to being classified under 18 AAC 50.325(b)(1). The Department certifies that the owner requested limit is effective as of the date noted below.

In accordance with 18 AAC 50.225(f), the applicant has agreed to the conditions listed on the following pages.

The owner or operator may revise this limit under 18 AAC 50.225(h) by submitting a new request under 18 AAC 50.225(b). This limit remains in effect until the revision is approved. The owner or operator may terminate this limit according to the procedures of 18 AAC 50.225(h).

I understand and agree to the terms and conditions of this approval.

Owner or Operator

Printed Name

Title: _____

This certifies that on _____, the person named above appeared before me, a notary public in _____ and for the State of _____, and signed the above statement in my presence.

Notary Signature & Seal _____
My commission expires _____

Department approval:

April 22, 1998

Air Quality Maintenance Issuing Officer

Limit Effective Date

CONDITIONS

1. The owner/operator shall limit the consumption of petroleum solvent in the sources at the facility to no more than a cumulative total of 31,000 gallons in any 12 month period.
2. The owner/operator shall conduct monitoring related to the conditions established in this limit as follows:
 - (A) Measure and record the quantity of petroleum solvent used in the sources at the facility, semi-annually;
 - (B) If the quantity of solvent used in the sources at the facility exceeds 29,000 gallons in any 12 month period, measure and record the quantity of petroleum solvent used on a monthly basis for the next six month period.
3. The owner/operator shall retain records of all required monitoring data and support information for a period of at least five (5) years from the date of collection. Support information includes delivery or solvent use records, calibrations for monitoring instrumentation, and copies of reports and certifications required by this approval. In addition, the owner/operator shall keep specific records of the quantity of solvent used in the sources listed at the facility.
4. The owner/operator shall submit three copies of an annual compliance report to the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation, Air Quality Maintenance Section, 410 Willoughby Ave, Juneau, Alaska 99801-1795. The report is due by **August 1** for information from the period July 1 through June 30. The reports are to contain:
 - (A) The name of the owner/operator, the facility name, ORL number and the period of the report;
 - (B) a listing of the petroleum solvent consumed in the facility for the past 12 months;
 - (C) The reports must clearly identify any deviation from the limit requirements; and
 - (D) A certification of report information, signed by the Responsible Official defined in 18 AAC 50.990(77), using the format of 18 AAC 50.205.
5. The owner/operator shall certify compliance annually by August 1 of each year for the period from July 1 to June 30 of the previous year in accordance with the format specified in 18 AAC 50.205. The owner/operator shall submit two copies and the original of the annual certification of compliance to the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation, Air Quality Maintenance Section, 410 Willoughby Ave., Juneau, Alaska, 99801-1795, and send one copy to EPA, 1200 6th Ave. mailstop OAQ-107, Seattle, WA 98101.
6. The owner/operator shall fax a notification to the Juneau AQM office at (907) 465-5129 within 24 hours of discovery if petroleum solvent use for the facility exceeds 29,000 gallons of diesel

fuel in any 12 month period.

Statement of Avoided Requirement :

The potential to emit of the sources at the facility for any one regulated air contaminant is reduced to less than 100 tons per year by limiting the petroleum solvent consumed in the sources. In accordance with 18 AAC 50.210, the capacity of the facility to emit an air contaminant is verifiable through the monitoring, record keeping, and reporting contained in this approval. By limiting the potential to emit of the facility, the owner/operator is avoiding the requirement to obtain an operating permit for a facility that is classified under AS 46.14.130(b) and 18 AAC 50.325(b)(1).